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25X1 SUBJECT: INDONESIA/JAPAN--EMBASSY VIEWS ON PROTESTS

THE US EMBASSY IN JAKARTA BELIEVES THAT DEMONSTRATIONS BY INDONESIAN STUDENTS DURING PRIME MINISTER TANAKA'S UPCOMING VISIT MAY GRAB THE HEADLINES BUT THAT LOCAL AUTHORITIES SHOULD BE ABLE TO HANDLE THEM. DEMONSTRATIONS IN JAKARTA AND BANDUNG DURING THE PAST WEEK HAVE FOCUSED MOSTLY ON DOMESTIC ISSUES. ALTHOUGH AT LEAST ONE GROUP OF PROTESTORS HAS BURNED AN EFFIGY OF TANAKA DESPITE THE OPTIMISTIC OUTLOOK FOR TANAKA'S VISIT, THE EMBASSY HARRIS THAT THE STUDENTS' SELF-CONFIDENCE AND ASSESSMENT OF THEIR OWN CAPABILITY TO AFFECT FUNDAMENTAL CHANGES ARE GROWING AND COULD, IN THE LONG RUN, INVITE DRASIC REPRESSIVE MEASURES.

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